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## "FIGHTING BOB" EVANS IS DEAD

Rear Admiral Succumbs to Acute Indigestion.

ILL LESS THAN TWO HOURS

## INTEND MAKING FIGHT ON OSBORN

Michigan Progressives Resent Attack on La Follette.

## FLOOD STATE WITH ORATORS

Entire Ticket May Be Placed in Field at Republican Primaries and Particular Attention Given to Beating Governor for Renomination—Even Progressive of National Fame Be Urged to Make Address.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 4.—"I will go to Lansing and speak, if I never make another speech anywhere on earth," said Senator La Follette at Kalama zoo, having had time to digest the savage attack made upon him by Governor Osborn. Then, recollecting his policy of refusing to be interviewed he checked himself.

Sybrant Wesselius of Grand Rapids leader of the movement in the western part of the state, supplied the remainder of the senator's vow. He said that the progressives would put an entire ticket in the field in the Republican primaries and would devote particular attention to beating Governor Osborn.

Secretary Cohen of Detroit spoke angrily regarding the governor and said that, in all likelihood, the Progressive league would make a harder campaign in Michigan than in any other state in view of what had happened.

"Every big progressive of note in the country will be brought here to speak, he said. "Senator La Follette himself will come back and will campaign the state from one end to the other. There will be no let up from now on. Among those who will stump the state for La Follette are Governor McGovern of Wisconsin, Senators Bristow, Clapp, Crawford, Cummings, Gronna and Works, Representatives Norris and Lenroot, Louis Brandeis, Gifford Pinchot and his brother Amos, Medill McCormick, James R. Garfield, William Allen White and F. J. Henry.

"I cannot get my breath," he said and sank back.

Only Son Away on Duty.

At his bedside at the time of his death were his wife, his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Sewell, and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank T. Evans, wife of the admiral's only son, a lieutenant commander in the navy, now on duty on the torpedo boat destroyer Monahan at Boston. The only other member of his immediate family who was not present was his daughter, Mrs. Marsh, wife of Captain Charles C. Marsh, commander of the armored cruiser North Carolina.

The news spread with great rapidity and caused a profound shock in official circles.

President Taft was one of the first to express his grief and condolence. He said:

"Admiral Evans was one of the most successful squadron commanders we have had in the navy for a long time. He was a rigid disciplinarian, of quick decision and admirably advised in the intricacy of the machinery of cruisers and battleships and skilled in drilling them. I am deeply afflicted to hear of his death."

"I am shocked beyond measure at the sudden death of my lifelong friend, Admiral Evans," said Admiral Dewey. "I cannot say more now."

Secretary Meyer paid this tribute to the officer's memory:

"By the sudden death of Admiral Evans, the country loses one of its most brilliant and able officers. It was on account of his high reputation that President Roosevelt selected him as commander-in-chief of the fleet that cruised around the world. Although on the retired list he had kept up his active interest in the service and his unexpected death came as a shock to the navy."

## CLAPP PRAISES ROOSEVELT

Holds Up Colonel as Example of Progressive Republican.

Sterling, Ill., Jan. 4.—Theodore Roosevelt was exploited as an exponent of progressive Republicanism by United States Senator Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota in an address here in which he pleaded for a return of the Republican party to power in the presidential election next autumn or the grounds that it was best equipped to handle the affairs of the nation.

He praised acts and policies of McKinley and Roosevelt, which he said, had moved Democratic states over to the Republican column and assailed "Cannons" and "Aldrichism" as symbols of reactionary hopes.

## SCORES MICHIGAN RAILWAYS

La Follette Says Service in That State Is Worst in Country.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 4.—Michigan railroads in general were most scathingly attacked by Senator Robert M. La Follette in his address before a large crowd here.

"You are getting the worst service in Michigan of any place I know," he declared.

Discussing trusts and corporations he said the control of practically all things industrial in the United States had been usurped by a handful of capitalists that had become a formidable adversary for the masses.

He spoke of the "unscientific" manner in which the McKinley tariff bill was drafted and continued with a statement that the Dingley tariff bill did much to deteriorate conditions of the masses.

## ONLY DEATH CAN INTERVENE

President Taft is in Race for Re-Election to Stay.

Washington, Jan. 4.—"Nothing but death can keep me out of the fight now."

President Taft is reported to have made this statement to White House tallers and to have added that he had no objection to the statement being made public.

It was doubtless intended to set at rest all reports that Mr. Taft might withdraw from the race for the Republican nomination in favor of Colonel Roosevelt.

Aged Couple Die at Same Time. Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tilburg of Walworth, the two oldest inhabitants of this city, died within an hour of natural causes. Each was nearly ninety years old.

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## WOOL DUTIES WILL BE CUT.

Tariff Board Report Makes Reduction Certain.

## SIZE OF CUT ONLY QUESTION.

Even Standpats Introducing Reduction Bills—Will Insurgents Work With Democrats?—Senator Knute Nelson Forgot Something—Bailey Smoot and Bristow Neighbors.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Jan. 4.—[Special.]—Senator Aldrich said that the woolen schedule was the keystone of the protection arch, and it begins to look as if that arch was in danger. The legislators here are going after the keystone. There is going to be a reduction of the tariff on wool. It may be a Republican reduction or a Democratic reduction, but some one is going to reduce that duty.

Moreover, after the report of the tariff board it does not seem possible to get around making the reduction, even if it does not satisfy anybody. Just now everybody is torn up over the kind of a reduction that should be made. The Republicans cannot fix the method in the house for they are in the minority. If the insurgents in the senate act with the Democrats again there may be sent to the president a bill similar to that of last session.

Insurgents Are Wary.

But something happened just before the end of the extra session which has made the insurgents wary. They were working along with the Democrats on the various tariff bills all right, until one day the Democrats made a deal with the Republican regulars. Enough of the latter refrained from voting to give the Democrats power to put through their own bills instead of losing their own bills and then voting for the insurgent measures.

There is no certainty that an alliance can be formed between Democrats and insurgents such as operated to pass several tariff bills last session. Of course it was then well known that the president would veto any bills passed, but a wool bill this session is something different.

The Thrifty Norseman.

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"Come in, senator," said Smoot.

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LOUIS W. HILL.

Great Northern President Attends Duluth Banquet.

## CLEAN LITTLE FROM WITNESS

### ENGLAND MAY ALSO ABROGATE TREATY

Likely to Follow Example of United States Over Passports.

Former Armour Manager Gives Evasive Answers.

### APPEARS UNWILLING TO TELL

William D. Miles Had Been Heralded as One of the Most Important Witnesses for the Government in Packers' Trial and Counsel Made No Effort to Conceal Their Disappointment at the Way He Answered Certain Questions.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—William D. Miles, general manager for the Armour Packing company at Kansas City from 1894 to 1902, testified in the trial of the ten Chicago packers charged with criminal violation of the Sherman law, that the old packers' pools were organized to prevent the glutting of the market with fresh meats and that there always was active competition between the members in all parts of the country.

He followed Henry Veeder on the stand and was the third witness called by the government.

English business men of the Jewish faith are subjected to every kind of annoyance and even imprisonment whenever they set foot on Russian territory.

STEPHENSON FREED OF BLAME

Report Exonerates Senator From Corruption Charges.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The Stephenson investigating committee of the senate probably will meet Saturday to consider the report prepared by Chairman Heyburn of Idaho exonerating Senator Stephenson from all charges of corruption. The report finds that no member of the Wisconsin legislature was shown to have been influenced in Mr. Stephenson's behalf by the use of money. It comments upon the expenditure of \$107,000 in the campaign as due to the existence of a primary election law in Wisconsin, but that law is not condemned in terms in Mr. Heyburn's report.

## URGES STATE EXPANSION

Louis W. Hill Guest at Duluth Banquet.

Duluth, Jan. 4.—State development was the keynote of L. W. Hill's address at the Commercial club's banquet at the Spalding hotel, at which he was guest of honor. The president of the Great Northern railroad held out alluring prospects of great expansion of the agricultural resources and declared that Minnesota was just awakening to the wonderful possibilities which can be hers for the effort. Mr. Hill strongly urged co-operation of the people to the end that the development of Northern Minnesota may progress more rapidly.

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Taft Pardons Negro Convicts.

Washington, Jan. 4.—President Taft has commuted to expire at once the life sentence of Arthur Adams and Robert Sawyer, two negro British subjects convicted at Wilmington, N. C., in 1906, of murder on the high seas. In a confession before his execution Henry Scott, another negro convicted of and hanged for the same crime, completely exonerated Adams and Sawyer.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 3.—Wheat—May, \$1.07; July, \$1.07½. Cash close on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.07½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.05½; May, \$1.05½; July, \$1.07½. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.16; in store, \$2.14; May, \$2.16.

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**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

H. H. Baker went to Bemidji today.

Mrs. Bessie Jones went to Minneapolis today.

A. L. Thwing, of Grand Rapids, is in the city.

Miss Cecil Mayo went to Duluth today to visit friends.

Alderman James M. Elder went to St. Paul this afternoon.

Miss Ellen Bartling returned today to her school duties north of Hibbing.

Turkish baths at Ridley's Gymnasium.

Geo. D. LaBar went to Cass Lake Wednesday to attend to business matters.

The weather report reads: "Fair and continued cold tonight and Friday."

County Commissioner Edquist returned yesterday to his home in Loech.

Alderman C. A. Lagerquist went to Nisswa Wednesday to put up ice for his cottage.

R. Craddock returned to Barrows this afternoon where he is employed at the mine.

Jack Pine Cones bought. Write Ayers Nursery, Aitkin, Minn.

17813p A. E. Whitney went to Little Falls today to visit his old friend and comrade, C. F. Cooley.

Miss Leonora Nubbe returned Wednesday to Crosby where she is employed as a stenographer.

Charles and Philip Hall, of Churchbridge, Saskatchewan, Canada, are visiting their brother, N. B. Hall.

Mrs. Frank F. Price, the wife of Attorney Price, of Grand Rapids, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moody.

Pete Peterson, a driller employed on the south range, returned Wednesday from a holiday visit at Minneapolis.

Deputy County Auditor and Mrs. H. D. Treglaw have returned from a visit with her parents in Montevideo.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-164.

Mrs. W. J. Coons, who has been visiting Mrs. George Gardner, returned today to her home in Little Falls.

Si Hall went to Nisswa yesterday to put up a large amount of ice for the numerous cottage owners at that point.

The funeral of the late John Morgen will be held at 2:30 Friday afternoon from the Swedish Lutheran church.

Richard Trentleg, who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. L. Myers, returned this afternoon to his home in Duluth.

Miss Marie Peterson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson, returned this afternoon to Minneapolis.

Miss Helen Potter, who has been the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farrar during the holidays, returned today to Duluth.

August Miller, of Motley, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis

Lee, returned yesterday to his home after having enjoyed a pleasant holiday visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Conant left last night for Paradise, Mont., where Mr. Conant will be employed as a fireman at the Northern Pacific tie treatment plant there.

The Bohemian club will give an informal dancing party Friday evening at Elks hall. These dances are always very enjoyable events and draw large attendances.

Examinations at office free during December. Dr. Shortridge, Osteopath, Walverman block, phone 291L. 153tf-w

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd D. Greeno, of Southeast Brainerd, entertained at a dinner party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Anna Ferber, of Chicago. Covers were laid for six.

Mrs. R. H. Rehl, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson, visited them while enroute to Winnipeg, where she and her husband will make their future home.

We are offering for the balance of the week some Ladies', Misses' and Children's Winter Coats for 98c each. Come and look them over. B. KAATZ & SON.

Thomas S. Erwin, of Bemidji, was in the city on business today. Mr. Erwin says he missed the early train for Brainerd on Tuesday or he might have been a passenger on the train which was derailed at Farley.

Col. Freeman Thorp arrived from Hubert this noon on his way to Duluth where he will paint the portrait of John Uno Sebenius, the mining engineer. From Duluth the colonel may go to Oklahoma or Washington.

Ben Mortrud, aged about 50 years, of Blackduck, died at a local hospital Wednesday afternoon of tuberculosis. The deceased formerly lived in Brainerd. No funeral arrangements can be made until his relatives can be communicated with.

The Woman's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will give an Epiphany party at the Guild rooms on Saturday evening, January 6th, at 8 o'clock. A program will be given and a lunch served. All members and friends of the church are cordially invited to attend.

J. G. Kaupp has opened a new meat market in Northeast Brainerd at 306 Fourth Avenue Northeast. The shop will be known at the Northeast Brainerd Meat Market. Mr. Kaupp is a most experienced butcher and has been in partnership at one time with a brother and up to a recent date was employed by the McCulloch meat market. He will endeavor to maintain a clean, sanitary market and is assured of a large trade.

A Hero in a Lighthouse

For years J. S. Donahue, So. Haven, Mich., a civil war captain, as a lighthouse keeper, averted awful wrecks, but a queer fact is, he might have been a wreck, himself, if Electric Bitters had not prevented. "They cured me of kidney trouble and chills" he writes, "after I had taken other so-called cures for years, without benefit and they also improved my sight. Now, at seventy, I am feeling fine." For dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, they're without equal. Try them. Only 50¢ at all druggists.

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Thirty-one senators, or a fraction more than one-third of the senate, for merely served in the house. They are: Bankhead, Alabama; Brandegee, Conn.; Culom and Lorimer, Illinois; Slivley, Indiana; Curtis, Kansas; Paynter, Kentucky; Rayner, Maryland; Lodge, Massachusetts; Smith and Townsend, Michigan; Nelson, Minnesota; Williams, Mississippi; Stone, Missouri; Dixon, Montana; Hitchcock, Nebraska; New Hampshire; Gromna, North Dakota; Burton, Ohio; Gamble, South Dakota; Simmons, North Carolina; Balle, Texas; Sutherland, Utah; Swanson, Virginia; Jones and Poindexter, Washington; La Follette, Wisconsin; Clark, Wyoming; Taylor, Tennessee. When New Mexico sends Andrews and Arizona sends Mark Smith to the senate there will be two additional members of this list.

Twenty-one Governors.

There are twenty-one senators who were former governors of their states. They are Clarke and Davis, Arkansas; Perkins, California; Smith, Georgia; Culom, Illinois; Cummings, Iowa; Bradley, Kentucky; Foster, Louisiana; Crane, Massachusetts; Nelson, Minnesota; Stone, Missouri; Wetmore, Rhode Island; Tillman, South Carolina; Crawford, South Dakota; Taylor, Tennessee; Culberson, Texas; Dillingham and Page, Vermont; Swanson, Virginia; La Follette, Wisconsin; Warren, Wyoming. Nelson, Stone, Taylor, Swanson and La Follette are in both lists.

What Convinced Mann.

During the discussion of the eight hour law in the house Minority Leader Mann explained how he had changed his mind. "There was a time," he said, "when I did not think eight hours was long enough for men to work, but I have changed my mind. I have a garden at home that I use for exercise, and the use of a spade or a hoe there for an hour or two convinced me of the justice of the eight hour law."

Senate Office Building.

Luxuries are said to exist in the senate office building, and I rather think they have things pretty nice over there. They have two finely appointed kitchens, and one of them was recently put in use, Senator Burton having lunch on cooked there and entertaining the Ohio delegation when it declared for Senator Taft.

"They point to the office building as an extravagance," remarked Senator McCumber of North Dakota. "Why, that building will stand for a hundred years and be useful all the time. Four like it could be built for the cost of one battleship not lasting ten years."

Places For Men.

The department of agriculture employs more college men than any other in the government. The forestry bureau in this department and the bureau of standards in the commerce department have the largest proportion of college men. The library of con-

gress also has a large number of college men, about 90 per cent, it is said, of the employees.

Cummins Knows Him.

Senator Cummins of Iowa makes a great effort to remember the names and faces of every one he has met. Not long ago he entered the clerk's office of the supreme court and greeted the clerk and assistants by name.

"Now, that's a remarkable thing," remarked the clerk, James McKinney.

"Senator Cummins never saw me but once that I know of, and that was two years ago. Yet he called me by name when he saw me."

"Senator Cummins knows me, too," said the colored man at the door, who overheard the clerk's remark. "He done bad me tell him who you all was and point you all out at the doh' befo he come in."

THE HUMAN BRAIN.

Scientists Claim It Is Distributed All

Over the Body.

Once it was believed that the gray matter of the brain was confined within the skull. Now physicians and other students of physiology tell us that this same "gray" matter is found in other parts of the body—for instance, in the tips of the fingers of the blind, where the thinking has been consciously much exercised. One physician tells us there is little brain in the throat, and it often seems to be an independent thinking organ. An operator on the throat must become a friend and confidant of that little brain or his operation will not be successful. The little brain has a memory, and if the operator's hand has slipped and misused that throat the brain in the head may consent to the operation and desire it, but that little throat brain will resist even if it be months after the mistake, and if the operator persists the patient may be thrown into convulsions, such is the memory of that little brain.

And what has been discovered in the throat and in the finger tips will yet be discovered throughout the whole body, because we will consciously think in every part. At present much of the thinking is involuntary, not with the co-operation of the eye or central consciousness, but self knowledge brings you where you co-operate with yourself, and there are harmony and unity in all the activities of the body because of confidence throughout in the master of it.

The cells of your body can be seen as little selves or people, forming a government over which you exercise good rule by becoming acquainted with your people, educating public sentiment in noble thinking, putting away internal strife, hatred and other forms of inharmony. Certain persons suffer because they have hatred and despised parts and functions of their bodies. Hatred withers, paralyzes and congests. No one can do his best under disapproval—seek out a way to think kindly, generously, truly of yourself.

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## WADENA MAN HAS ACCEPTED POSITION

H. J. Maxfield, Former President of Northern Minnesota Development Association

### IS IMMIGRATION COMMISSIONER

Position Came to Him Without Solicitation—Resigns Attorneyship of Wadena County

H. J. Maxfield, well known in this city, has accepted the position of commissioner of immigration tendered him by the State Board of Immigration, and will at once enter the activities of the office. Mr. Maxfield held the position of president of the Northern Minnesota Development Association for two years and presided over its destinies at the time the association met in Brainerd, and his friends and acquaintances in this city will extend to him their hearty congratulations. The gentleman is particularly equipped to take up the past year, which can be found by an examination of the records of the State Auditor's office.

During the calendar year of 1911, 156,171 acres of state school lands were sold against 70,242 in 1910, showing a gain of 85,929 over the previous year. Of these lands sold in 1911, 33,820 acres were sold to 185 different parties coming from other states which averaged 183 acres to each party. The average price of which these lands were sold in 1911 was about \$6.77 against \$6.20 in 1910, a gain of 57 cents per acre, and the above does not include cash paid for timber.

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year which accounts for the active correspondence.

An advertising car carrying an exhibit of the state's agricultural and manufactured products was mantled and kept on the road by this department during the months of January, February and March, '11. This car was in charge of two men employed by the Immigration Department and traveled several thousand miles, stopping one day at each town, visiting 77 cities and villages in Illinois, and 21 in Iowa. Daily reports from the men in charge of the car showed that the attendance was approximately 1,100 persons per day. A similar car was prepared and sent out with the recent "Governor's Special" which was visited by thousands of people in the Eastern cities. An exhibit was maintained at the Minnesota state fair in September; and also at the Northwestern Land Products show, held in St. Paul, December 12th to 23d. At the Northwestern Land Products Show, the Minnesota exhibit won the first prize trophy cup, for the most comprehensive display.

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### A Girl's Wild Midnight Ride

To warn people of a fearful forest fire in the Catskills a young girl rode horseback at midnight and saved many lives. Her deed was glorious but lives are often saved by Dr. King's New Discovery in curing lung trouble, coughs and colds, which might have ended in consumption or pneumonia. "It cured me of a dreadful cough and lung disease," writes W. R. Patterson, Wellington, Tex., "after four in our family had died with consumption, and I gained 87 pounds." Nothing so sure and safe for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

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## TRAINS RUN OVER CUYUNA NORTHERN

New Year Opens With Line to the Adams Mine on South Range in Full Operation

### QUICK RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION

Mining Companies Meet at Deerwood —John Oberg Banquet—Other Deerwood News

Deerwood, Minn., January 4.—Completed in record time and right on the time agreed upon, freight trains are now running on the Cuyuna Northern railway and delivering coal, timber, cement, steel and other supplies to the Adams mine on section thirty south of Deerwood. When the incorporation of the railway was first announced many believed it to be but a paper road. It was said the road would be completed in December and some people doubted that. The date came round and the road was finished. Good progress is being made at the mine and a village of houses cluster about the shaft. When it was said the Barrows mine was to be the first shipper of the south range some of Deerwood's enthusiastic citizens said: "You wait and see. Maybe the Adams will beat the Barrows mine on shipping."

The Cuyuna Iron Company, of which Dr. R. J. Sewall, of Crosby; Dr. Murphy and Archie McKay of Superior; C. W. Potts and E. A. Lamb of Deerwood, and others are stockholders, had a meeting on Saturday and transacted much important business.

The Dakota Iron Mining Company in which many Dakota and Duluth people are interested, will hold a meeting January 15 at the office of Alford & Hunt, Duluth. E. A. Lamb is the manager of this company.

Louis Danielson, of Brainerd, Longyear's drill foreman, was suddenly taken sick with bronchitis while on his regular trip to Deerwood and is now confined to his room in the Adams hotel.

Frank Johnson, of Ironton, was in Deerwood on business Wednesday.

E. A. Lamb is suffering with an attack of bronchitis.

J. A. Stetson's boy, Harold, was operated on at St. Mary's hospital recently. He was suffering with an attack. The little patient is gradually recovering.

One of the happiest family reunions

occurred during the Christmas holidays at the old home of Mr. and Mrs. Bickford, north of Staples. Thirty-four were seated at the festal board and included Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bickford and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bickford and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bickford and family, of Crosby Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCabe and family, of Crosby; J. P. Welch, of Alberta, Canada. Fifteen grandchildren were present.

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to Kill a Moose." Charles Oberg's subject was "What to do When Your Carburetor Doesn't Work." Frank Oberg, the noted card player spoke about "What to do When You've Got Five Queens." William Seafield handled his topic well and it was "How it Feels to Strike 300 Feet of 68 Per Cent Ore." Gust Oberg spoke on "Long Range Bear Shooting." Gust Franson's topic was, "How to Run a Chemical Engine at Two O'clock in the Morning." The guests had a lively time indulging in their favorite pastime of playing cards and watched the old year out and the New Year in.

In speaking of the fire at the Price bakery and restaurant the name of Gust Franson was unintentionally forgotten. Mr. Franson was of great assistance in running the chemical engines and did his share to get the fire under quick control.

Referring to the Price bakery

Carl Carlson, of Carlson & Crane,

said: "Putting out that fire in such record time was the most wonderful piece of work done by any fire department this side of Stockholm."

Herman Peterson has viewed the approach of the new year with alarm for 1912 gives the girls a chance to propose. It is said that Herman has adroitly side stepped two proposals.

"When the right girl comes along," said Herman, "I shall say yes."

The state board of control will be held in the village council to paint the cells of the jail. This will be completed with Deerwood will have

one of the best and most modern jails in the country. Conducted on the American plan its clean, sanitary quarters offer accommodations unsurpassed in their line and frequently the capacity of the house is severely taxed to house all the occupants, for Deerwood has the only institution of this kind within a radius of 10 miles from Deerwood. Marshal Lamey is the guide who directs offenders to the bastile.

The village council at its recent

meeting granted the transfer of the liquor license of William Guelker to C. A. Rose, of Duluth. A few bills were ordered paid. A resolution covering the second notice to citizens for the proposed widening of the street in the west part of town was passed away Friday. Death was due to old age. The funeral was held Monday and Rev. Johnson, of the Swedish Baptist church, officiated. All trustees were present except Mr. Benson.

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## Your Opportunity to buy Gossard Corsets

We have selected about five dozen corsets which we shall discontinue. They are the splendid Gossard garments and are at great big reductions. Those on sale will sell as follows.

**\$5.00 Gossard Corsets at \$2.98**

**\$3.50 Gossard Corsets at \$1.98**

It is an excellent opportunity for you to secure one of these very high grade corsets at a very popular price.

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Continuous Performance 7:30 to 10:30. Admission 5 and 10c. Special Matinee Saturday at 3:00 P. M.

### "The Logging Industry of the Northwest"

Extremely beautiful pictures of forest life in logging camps. It shows the woodsmen felling immense trees, and how the logs are prepared for market. There is an excellent scene of a forest fire. See the six men make a great log turn in the water under their feet. A very interesting picture.

### "Little Kiddie Mine"

A big western feature, showing the kindness of a cowboy's heart. Great child acting in this picture makes it one of unusual interest.

### "Deacon Debbs"

Deacon Debbs was Jack's uncle, and comes to pay them a visit. Poor Deacon has a dull time; he is taken to a lecture on "The Esoteric Nature of Prehistoric Fish," and then unable to stand the loneliness of it all, he slipped away from them and took in the sights at Coney Island. There are a series of the recent Coney Island Carnival, and they are worth seeing. Don't miss it.

### TWO BEAUTIFUL ILLUSTRATED SONGS BY PAUL GOELTZ

Coming for Friday and Saturday—The great hand-colored motion picture spectacle of the Age—"THE PASSION PLAY" or the "LIFE OF CHRIST."

### VISIT THE CUYUNA RANGE

Application for Liquor License To the Council of the City of Brainerd, Minnesota:

Messrs. Charles Weyerhaeuser and John A. Redfern on the North Range Wednesday

Charles Weyerhaeuser, of Little Falls, and John A. Redfern, of Hibbing, passed through Brainerd Wednesday on their way to Crosby and Ironton where they inspected the work being done by mining companies who have leased some of the Weyerhaeuser lands.

Mr. Redfern is the fee agent of the Weyerhaeuser interests. Both may stay several days, making their headquarters at the Spalding hotel in Crosby.

The Augsburg society met at the Swedish Lutheran church Thursday.

Mrs. F. E. Winquist, one of the old settlers living on the Cedar Brook road southeast of Deerwood, where she has made her home the last 25 years, passed away Friday. Death was due to old age. The funeral was held Monday and Rev. Johnson, of the Swedish Baptist church, officiated. She leaves a husband and a son, Fred Winquist.

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The Watertown Man Charged With

Assault in the First Degree Declared Not Guilty

MATT HILL IS NOW ON TRIAL

Case of David Delaney, Charged With

Murder in First Degree, to be

Taken up Next Week

David Cluff, of Watertown, charged with assault in the first degree, was today acquitted by the jury.

In the case of the state vs. Ferdinand S. Currie, an order of dismissal was entered on the motion of County Attorney Fleming.

The jury chosen to try Matt Hill is composed of H. V. Flansberg, Chas. Johnson, C. E. Gibson, M. J. Hawkins, Fred J. Small, George Petrie, James Smith, John Griffin, Charles Ellison, L. W. Thabes, Perry Everett and Charles Hagblom.

The case of the state was opened by County Attorney Fleming. Frank Fastline was called and sworn and testified. Mike Setula, of this city, was sworn as interpreter. Paul Buchanan, of Cuyuna, gave evidence on the part of the state.

Hill is accused of stabbing Fastline while alleged to be quarreling with him at Cuyuna.

Thursday morning John Rukka, Burt Sukko and John Luoma took the stand for the state.

The David Delaney case may be taken up next Tuesday.

Frightful Polar Winds

blow with terrific force at the far north and play havoc with the skin,

causing red, rough or sore chapped hands and lips, that need Buckle's Arnica Salve to heal them. It makes the skin soft and smooth. Unrivaled for cold-sores, also burns, boils, sores, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

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